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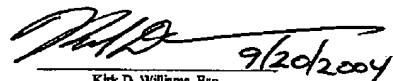
For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
IMPLEMENTING AND USING MULTIPLE  
VIRTUAL PORTIONS OF A SINGLE  
PHYSICAL ASSOCIATIVE MEMORY**

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**AMENDMENT A**

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

The Office action dated May 20, 2004, and the references cited have been fully considered. In response, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks. Reconsideration and/or further prosecution of the application is respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the current listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.

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